



USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News Weekly Egg Products Report

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12-Metro Area Shell Eggs - week ending 21-Jul-00 - Average retail and invoice prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A or better, white Large eggs in cartons, delivered store door (cents per dozen).

	Northeast	Midwest	Southern	Western	12-Metro Area
This week	61.28	48.56	55.45	69.86	60.80
Last week	58.13	47.14	55.45	68.98	59.16

Selected Cities Large - 21-Jul-00 **New York** 63-66 **Chicago** 55-60 **California** 75

Weekly Shell Egg and Breaking Stock Inventory - 17-Jul-00 - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
Current week	111.3	246.2	85.9	157.4	165.5	766.3	488.2	1254.5
% change PW	1	-5	-19	-13	-12	9	5	-4

Breaking Stock 21-Jul-00 - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States	Eastern Region
Nest Run	31-34 M 32-34	28-32 M 29-30
Checks & Undergrades	17-20	14-19

Eggs Processed under federal inspection week ending 15-Jul-00.
Pounds in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
Current Week	1,253,809	27,682	12,847	6,876	3,505	4,177
Previous Week	1,090,713	24,547	11,972	5,709	2,892	3,437
Last Year	1,104,967	26,675	9,997	5,140	2,709	3,672
% Change PW	15	13	7	20	21	22
% Change LY	13	4	29	34	29	14
To Date 2000	32,542,025	735,134	328,758	176,534	82,231	107,552
To Date 1999	30,401,635	700,476	294,723	162,037	73,941	95,446

AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE

Current Week: 41.14 Previous Week: 41.87 Last Year: 41.16

National Liquid Eggs - 21-Jul-00 - prices paid cents/lb, f.o.b. plant, non-pasteurized trucklots, for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Loads	Range	Wtd. Avg.	Change From Last Week
Whole	9	26.5-31	27.33	1.62
Whites	19	23-27	25.09	-.13
Yolks		TFEWR		

Pasteurized salt yolks reported at 35-38 cents fob with no pasteurized whites reported.

Frozen Egg Prices - 21-Jul-00 - wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot		Central		Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.)	
	Eastern		Eastern		Eastern	South California ²
Whole	40-44 M	40-42	40-44 M	40-42	45-49	46-49
Blends ³	Too Few To Report		-		50-59	-
Whites	36-39 M	37-39	37-39		44-52	42-45
Yolks ⁴						
Sugared	45-50 M	45-47	45-50 M	45-47	50-55	49-52
Salted	41-47 M	42-43	41-47 M	42-44	46-58	46-49

² f.o.b. shipping point

³ whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

⁴ minimum 43% solids

National Dried Egg Prices - 21-Jul-00 - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
Whole	1.40 - 1.60	1.45 - 1.50
Yolks	.97 - 1.20	1.05 - 1.10
Albumen, Spray Dried	2.90 - 3.15	2.90 - 3.00
Blends (whole plus sweetener)	1.15 - 1.25	

Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 15-Jul-00

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.		U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada		Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered	
This week	1,882	This week	587	This week	2,469
Last week	1,262	Last week	411	Last week	1,673
Last year	1,978	Last year	542	Last year	2,520
To Date 2000	55,025	To Date 2000	13,672	To Date 2000	68,697
To Date 1999	60,629	To Date 1999	13,887	To Date 1999	74,516

Inspected Egg Products

U.S. Exports To Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 08-Jul-00

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	102	0	0	102
Last year*	304	0	0	304
To date 2000	3,179	126	286	3,591
To date 1999	7,903	6	333	8,242

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 08-Jul-00

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	68	39	0	107
Last year*	32	8	13	53
To date 2000	3,123	378	610	4,111
To date 1999	2,291	141	141	2,573

Inspected Shell Eggs

U.S. Exports To Canada, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 08-Jul-00

	Jumbo	XLarge	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	90	1,850	950	120	12,150	0	15,160
Last year*	0	460	2,440	380	13,450	0	16,730
To date 2000	801	22,391	75,642	17,643	132,394	6,237	255,108
To date 1999	567	17,349	64,346	26,907	286,491	3,468	399,128

*Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.